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Our File 7116.004

Box DAC  
Attention: Office of Petitions  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/550,476  
For: SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING TRAFFIC INFORMATION  
Filed: April 14, 2000

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is a Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally under 37 U.S.C. 1.137 (b). Additionally, we enclose copies of the Issue Fee Due Notice and fourteen sheets of the new formal drawings both dated July 30, 2002, and which have been filed with the appropriate authority. Also enclosed is our check payable to the Commissioner for Patents for the Petition to Revive in the current amount of \$640 for a small entity and an acknowledgment postcard.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 03-1550 for any additional fees which may be required or credit any over payments to that account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 U.S.C. 1.137(B)**

Docket No.  
KLR 7116.004



Applicant: DeKock, et al.

Group Art Unit: 3661

Serial No.: 09/550,476

Examiner: Coleman

Filed: April 14, 2000

Title: **SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING TRAFFIC INFORMATION**

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue fee within the statutory period from the mailing date. The abandonment date of this application is May 21, 2002.

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS  
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**1. Petition fee**

- ☒ Small entity fee of \$640 (37 C.F.R. 1017(m))
- ☐ Small entity statement enclosed herewith.
- ☐ Small entity statement previously filed.
- ☐ Other than small entity fee \$\_\_\_\_\_; (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m))

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- ☒ A copy is enclosed herewith.

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Entitled: SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING TRAFFIC  
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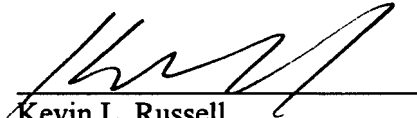
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- (1) more than three months from the date the applicant is first notified that the application is abandoned explain (on an attached sheet) in detail the cause of the delay in filing the petition;
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Dated: July 30, 2002

  
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(Depositor's name)

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July 30, 2002

(Date)

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/550,476	04/14/2000	Bruce W. DeKock	BWD-7118.004	8794

TITLE OF INVENTION: SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING TRAFFIC INFORMATION

TOTAL CLAIMS	APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
34	nonprovisional	YES	\$640	\$0	\$640	05/20/2002

EXAMINER	ART UNIT	CLASS-SUBCLASS
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Bruce DeKock

Bend, Oregon

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